



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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CASE 9800.1042

TITLE: Multimedia Information and Control System for Automobiles

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TRANSMITTAL OF FILING
CONTINUATION APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

SIR:

This is a request for the filing of a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) of pending prior application Serial No. 09/792,349, filed on February 23, 2001 of

Michael L. Obradovich, Michael L. Kent and John G. Dinkel
(Inventors)

for

Multimedia Information and Control System for Automobiles.
(Title of Invention)

Prior application information: Examiner O. Hernandez Group Art Unit 3661

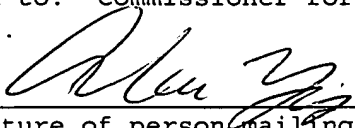
1. (X) Enclosed is a copy of specification, drawings and declaration as filed in prior application Serial No. 09/792,349 on February 23, 2001.

Please file the application and find the enclosed check in the amount of \$ 385.00 to cover the filing fee calculated below. In the event of non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or to credit Deposit Account No. 50-0988 as required to correct the error.

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAIL UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10

"Express Mail" Mailing Label No. EV006644817US. Date of Deposit March 17, 2004. I hereby certify that this 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) request and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Signature of person mailing papers

2. (X) A Preliminary Amendment and Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
3. (X) Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established.
4. (X) A Preliminary Amendment and Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed, wherein claims 1-12 have been cancelled, and claims 13-22 have been added.

The filing fee has been calculated as below:

CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	10-20 =	0	0 x \$ 9	\$ 0
Independent Claims	2-3 =	0	0 x \$43	\$ 0
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if applicable			\$145=	
Basic Fee				\$385

TOTAL FEE: \$ 385

5. (X) In the event that an extension of time is required, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fees for extension of time. The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0988 as required to secure any such extension of time.
6. (X) An Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO-1449 (15 pages) is enclosed.
7. (X) The prior application is assigned to American Calcar Inc.
8. (X) The Power of Attorney to Alex L. Yip appears in the prior application.

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Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Alex Yip", written in a cursive style.

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Attorney for Applicant(s)

Date: March 17, 2004
Enclosures